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Choice building lot on Sutherland Avenue, get after this quick, or you will lose it. Half cash, balance six and twelve months.

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Eleven lots on Jasper Avenue with buildings, here is another chance to make a few dollars quick. Have an interview with us and we will tell you all about it.

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Each, 2 View lots, and should the Parliament buildings be erected near the old H.B.R. Fort, these lots will be worth several thousand each. Easy terms.

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This is the amount required to purchase a nice corner property and two lots on Government Avenue close in. The reason of this sacrifice is on account of the owner having to make other payments which are past due.

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We have some dandy propositions in well improved farms, and also in wild lands near the rail and City of Edmonton. It will be more satisfactory to use an ad you if you will call and have a chat with us.

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Miss Lucia Nola, with the Roscian Opera Co.

"The Grater" of Spokane, one of the leading society papers of that city had the following complimentary notice for the Roscian Opera Co., who are appearing in the Thistle Theatre next week.

The Roscian opera company completes a more than ordinary successful four weeks' engagement at the Spokane theatre this evening, when it will again present "The Bohemian Girl." No company has ever taken its leave of a Spokane audience for which the amusement lovers have felt keener regret than that which they now feel on account of the loss of the Roscians. The delightful thing about the work of the Roscians is that the audience may always rest assured that everything will run as smooth as glass, and even the small opportunities for artistic work will be used with a faithfulness that is too frequently neglected by more pretentious companies.

"Miss Lucia Nola, the prima donna of the company has an excellent voice of unusual purity and strength and a stage presence that has won a host of friends of her during her sojourn

in the "Power" city. Miss Winifred Crosey who made her debut with the company at the beginning of the Spokane engagement has a good voice and a pleasing personality. Messrs. Campbell, Walters, Dewey and Hoffman are each clever and faithful in their several lines of work; indeed it would be difficult to find another company in which every member comes so near to filling their several parts, as is done by the popular Roscians. Not the least important is the work of the chorus, their pretty faces and shapely forms have always given effective settings for the other members of the company, and many of their drills have received as much applause as some of the solo work. The company in leaving will take not only the best wishes of lovers of refined amusement, but also one of Spokane's pretty and accomplished young ladies, in the person of Miss Amy Long."

After a week in each Edmonton and Calgary, the Roscians will return to the Spokane Theatre for an extended engagement commencing September 16th.

City Council Ratifies

Agreement with G. T. P.

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subject to the approval of the railway commission. Besides the city grants the company the exclusive right to lay the said switches and sidings but the company must operate them for any other railway company with terminals in this city.

The company is bound to handle freight cars within this area at rates not greater than the minimum rates charged on its branch lines.

The company agrees that upon the acquisition of the city of the 33-foot right of way south of the C.N.R. to proceed at once to construct the track there and upon the south 40 feet of Mackenzie Avenue and such switches and sidings as are necessary on lanes running north and south for the accommodation of warehouses.

A by-law was passed through all its stages empowering the mayor and secretary of the City of Edmonton to sign and execute the agreement.

The city undertakes to bear the cost of all separation of grades subject to the approval of the Railway Commission.

The city agrees to exempt the company from all municipal taxes, except school taxes, and any special tax imposed in respect of water-works until 1911, and thereafter until 1929 the company's total assessment shall not exceed the purchase price of the land.

The company agrees to permit the construction of a foot bridge and an electric tramway in connection with the company's bridge at Clover Bar, provided the cost is not borne by the company.

Absolutely fire-proof vaults with brick and cement walls lined with steel plate will be situated on a batholith of cement in the basement.

The company which began business in Edmonton last December is one of the oldest and most reputable financial institutions in Canada. It was incorporated twenty-five years ago with a capital of five millions and today has assets of over fourteen millions. The principal shareholders in the company are the Banque des Pays-Bas, and the Credit Lyonnais, of Paris.

The mayor stated that it was the intention of the civic authorities to try to arrange for an early conference between the C. N. R. and G. T. P. authorities on the question of a union station.

A new company may take hold of the scheme and operate the union station and control freight delivery for all railways that have or may have terminals within the city.

Ald. Picard objected to the clause in the agreement giving the exclusive right to the G.T.P. to build and operate all sidings on the south side of the C. N. R. The original agreement called for the right to operate spur lines across the main line of the C. N. R., but this is disallowed by the Railway Commission. The same right to operate spurs and sidings north of the C. N. R. main line is accorded the C. N. Railway authorities.

PLAN FOR NEW BLOCK

Details of New Banking House For the Credit Foncier Co.

The plans and specifications for the new building to be erected by the Credit Foncier Co., on Jasper Avenue, were received by their agent here yesterday.

The building will have a frontage of 53-1-3 feet on Jasper, and will extend 90 feet along Third street. The east wall will be 60 feet, giving the building an L shape. It will be three stories high with solid brick walls with concrete and stone finish.

The ground floor will be fitted up for a banking office, which will be probably leased to the Hochelaga Bank of Montreal. The eastern half of the ground floor will contain the offices of the Credit Foncier.

The second floor will be fitted up as general offices and provided with all conveniences, while the third floor will be in the event of the company being unable to lease it for office, be fitted up as living rooms for rooming tenants, with all modern conveniences.

The building will be heated throughout with hot water and lighted by electricity. The ball-floors on the ground floor will be constructed in mosaic of terrazzo, that is paved with small flat stones of various colors laid in cement.

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Civic Holiday.

Proclamation.
Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 23rd day of August, 1936, is declared a civic holiday in the city of Edmonton. All citizens are requested to observe the same.

By Order,
CHAS. MAY, Mayor.

FRO SALE
Six roomed cottage furnace heated, 2 lots, 100 feet on Fourth street, 150 feet on Saskatchewan Avenue, \$3,000.00, \$550.00 cash, balance 3 years. Apply P.O. Box 478, Edmonton. Kitchen stove utensils, etc., go with house.

--Thistle Theatre--

The ROSCIAN OPERA Company

All Week Starting

Monday, Aug. 20.

LIST OF OPERAS

Monday "Fra Diavolo"
Tuesday "Mascot"
Wednesday "Mikado"
Thursday "Pinafore"
Friday "Martha"
Saturday "Gloria"
Prices \$1.00, 75c, 50c.

Seats on sale at Archibald's Drug Store, for the entire week.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

Week of August 13th

"The Great Regatta."
"The Whole Dam Family and the Dam Dog."
"Incendiary."
"Buffalo Bill Wild West Show."
"The Village Outing."

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Sunday is a day of rest—make it also a day of pleasure by coming to the Marriage Cafe for the

Chicken Dinner

from 1:30 to 2 p. m., or the
"Goose Dinner."
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By young lady, board and room in private family. Apply Box 34 Bulletin, dy two times pd

WANTED
Situation by first class dry goods and gent's furnishings man. References the best. Apply Box 38 Bulletin, dy 193-198 chg.

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50 tons of ice delivered at slaughterhouse. J. Hehsdorfer, Edmonton Sausage Market. dy tf chg

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Good old round butcher. Highest wages paid to butcher able to work. J. Hehsdorfer, Edmonton Sausage Market. dy tf chg

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You want good servants. Come all and place your name on our book in Bulletin office or return to Mr. Laurence, Duggendorfer Block, and be amply rewarded.
dy tf chg

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For \$525; a splendid lot on Heimlich street. Terms, \$150 cash; balance in two years.
For \$275; a good lot in East End, cheaply buy in Edmonton.
For \$1150; a lot on Third street, near C. N. R., a rare bargain.

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If you are going east before September 18th, it will be to your interest to drop a note to P. O. Box 719, Edmonton.

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Smart driver, man or youth, good wages. Strong Bros, 319 Queen Avenue.

WANTED
Team of horses, weight 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. Address Box 36, Bulletin, dy.

WANTED
Experienced butcher, with some capital to connect meat market with grocery store; fine opening for a good man. Address P.O. Box 665, City.

WANTED
Partner for hay and seed business, capital required. Apply to Box 32 Bulletin, dy 189-194 pd.

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Small house, not to exceed \$2,000. Apply C.B., Bulletin Office, dy 189-195.

WANTED
Contractor to take out three million feet of lumber, Alberta. Apply John Fraser, care D. R. Fraser & Co., Limited, Edmonton.

WANTED
Situation as stenographer, would take holiday vacancies. Apply Box 37 Bulletin, dy 193-194 pd

WANTED
General servant. Apply at once to Mrs. H. B. Speers, 375 Fourth street, West.

FOR SALE OR RENT

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FOR SALE
Hotel, livery, bakery, restaurant, groceries, stationery, farms; all bargains. Apply Galbraith & Cross, 315 Jasper.

FOR SALE
Horse, buggy and harness. Apply J. J. Tull, Cor. Belamy & Syndicate Avenue.

FOR SALE
One second hand, 65 horse power engine for sale. Apply P. Anderson & Co's brickyard, near railway bridge. dy tf chg

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Fruit and confectionery business. Reasonable price. For further information write, G. D. Ferris, Vegreville, Alta.

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FOR SALE
Cigar stand in the Strathcona house. Apply to the clerk.

FOR SALE
Lot adjoining 426 Sixth street, south of Victoria; also large family tent on same, with floor complete and several items of furniture. Apply on the premises or to J. H. Hargreaves, City Commissioner. dy tf chg

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Contents of first class boarding house and restaurant, 13 rooms furnished complete, modern conveniences. One thousand and fifty dollars cash. (1,050). Apply Box 38, Bulletin.

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City News**Local Items Around the City**

—Andrew Bain, Port Elgin, Ont., is on a trip through the West.

—It is expected that laying steel will begin on Monday on the C. N. R. lines west.

—A gang of 87 men are engaged today in the C.N.R. yards raising and ballasting the main track.

—The 30 cars of steel rails in the C. N. R. yards will shortly be transferred to flat cars in order to be laid on the western extension.

—A. Crystall, corner Jasper and McDougall, is putting in a plate glass window on the west side of his store.

—The gravelling of Sixth street has been completed and it presents a neat and finished appearance with its trees and green boulevards.

—The fire brigade had their first call in six weeks last night when a burning brush pile on Clara street called the attention of the chemical engine for a few minutes.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. C. Brett, Namayo avenue died yesterday and is being buried today.

—Rev. A. S. Tuttle, sr., uncle of duet anniversary services at Clover Bar tomorrow.

—Rev. A. S. Tuttle, sr., uncle of the Rev. A. S. Tuttle, pastor of Grace Methodist church will preach in Grace church, Sunday morning.

—The Credit Foncier Co., moved their office to the rear of their property to make way for building operations on their new bank offices.

—The C.N.R. has located a new gravel pit at Lavoie, the first station east of Vegreville, and is building a spur track into it from the main line. The gravel is said to be of first-class quality.

—The laying of the water mains on Namayo has been completed as far north as Edmiston avenue and work is in progress on Isabella street. The mains are being extended to the penitentiary.

—Mr. D. Gourlay, of Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, Toronto, was in town yesterday. Mr. Gourlay, who has not been in town for three or four years, felt forced to remark on the increased feeling of stability among the people and also on the appearance of the town.

—J. A. York of Seventh street is having cement walks on his property and erecting an attractive cement fence. W. J. C. York is doing the work. W. H. Henderson of Lamont is in the city visiting his brother of the department of agriculture.

—J. R. Boyle, M.P.P., secretary of the grain commission will take with him during the tour of the board samples of Alberta grain for purposes of comparison. The samples are being secured by the secretary of the board of trade.

—Mr. Henry Schvay, who has been in attendance upon his father during his period of illness at the isolation hospital, speaking to the Bulletin yesterday, said he was highly pleased with the attention and kindness shown by those in charge of the institution to his father during his illness.

—The prisoners at the penitentiary are engaged under the supervision of the officials in erecting a fence to serve as a temporary enclosure until a more permanent brick wall is built. The fence is 12 feet high while the new brick wall will be 25 feet high.

—Rev. W. S. Black, who has spent five years as a missionary in Jerusalem, Palestine, will preach in the First Baptist church, both morning and evening, on Sunday. His subject in the morning will be "Evidences of fulfilled prophecy as seen in and about Jerusalem today."

—Jack Downes, the well known and also in the appearance of the matches. He will wrestle all corners, taking three falls an hour or forfeiting the purse, or will pay any amateur \$1 per minute after the first five minutes. He came here expecting a match with Waddy Watson of the Calgary ball team. The Calgary sports were to have posted forfeits with a local paper here, but no such deposits were made.

—Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., is in the city. Mr. Rowell has been to the coast and is going to return to Winnipeg by the C.N.R. It is four years since he was in this city and he says a marvellous change in that time, and is thoroughly convinced that Edmonton's future is assured. He reports trade conditions in Ontario excellent and says that the province is enjoying an unprecedented era of prosperity. Mr. Rowell is interested in politics and visited the Ministers at the government offices. For some years he has been one of the most capable public speakers in the Liberal party in Ontario.

—Calgary Herald: Colonel Bridge and Captain Martin, the imperial remount commission, returned from the south Monday, accompanied by their agent, John A. Turner, president of the Horse Breeders' association, and E. L. Richardson, assistant secretary. The commission are pleased at the class and number of horses purchased in central and southern Alberta. In

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spite of the prevailing high prices paid for horses in Alberta this year, the following number was secured at the various points mentioned: Cochrane, 13; Calgary, 14; Okotoks, 12; Macleod, 21; Pincher Creek, 20; High River, 10; Meadow Creek and Claresholm, 8; making a total of 98 horses purchased to date, with two more points to visit yet.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Perda Puffer of Lacombe, is visiting with friends in Edmonton for a few days.

Miss Henshaw, of Lacombe, is spending a week or two in Edmonton for her holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pattison returned to White Whale Lake today after spending a few weeks in town.

John McMillan, a former Canadian, but lately of New York State, is in town and will spend a few weeks with A. E. Pattison, of White Whale Lake.

William Brown, superintendent of the western division of the C. N. R. is in the city.

One of the smartest "Girls' Teas" lately claimed Mrs. J. W. Morris as a hostess yesterday afternoon, which was given by this charming hostess for her cousin, Miss Campbell, of Winnipeg. Mrs. Morris wore a most beautiful gown of embroidered silk, while Miss Campbell was a dainty figure in a smart Eton suit of grey, lace bodice. The tea table was quite inviting with its numerous dainties, in the centre of which was a lace centre on which rested a cut glass flower stand filled with red and white carnations and asters. Mrs. Mercer had charge of the tea and assisting her were Mrs. Short and Mrs. Douglass. The Misses Wishart, Taylor, Lynch, and Dunlop were also very attentive assistants, and had a bright word for all. Among those present were: Misses Robertson, Sampson, Sommerville, McCaulley, Greenwood, Matheson, Gais-cogne, Johnson and Mesdames Darling, Jamieson, Thibadeau and Fraser.

POLICE COURT

Once upon a time there was a man, who thought that he was a Pierce Sport, so he started out to tear things loose in Big Chungie. He tore and was torn in Good and Proper Shape. And when he awoke the next morning, behold, his Wad was gone! Straightway this now Tamed Sport did lay a Big Kick and announced before the Powers That Be some peoples, whom he believed, had relieved him of his Surplus Personals. But the Law said nay, for to satisfy those who sit in Justice and Mercy, it is deemed necessary that the Purloiners should be caught "with the goods on 'em" or words to that effect. And so the Pierce Sport has the Experience and Nobility in Particular has the Money, in particular "suzoqso utrejdq" (noun).

REDUCED THE FEE.

At the meeting of the council last night Chief Dwyohessia, a full blooded Mohawk was present to address the council. He manufactures and controls several proprietary medicines which he sells between the acts of a vaudeville show connected with his outfit. He asked that the license fee which is fifty dollars be reduced. The present fee for circuses, merry-go-rounds, etc., is \$50 a day and \$10 for each additional side show.

The chief who intends to reside in Edmonton and manufacture his goods claims the privileges of a citizen. Asked if he charged a fee he said the fee was a nominal one of 10 cents not for revenue but to exclude children. He held it was not fair to charge him as much as a circus.

The question arose how could the council grant relief from the operation of the by-law? The solicitor thought a new by-law would have to be passed. Alderman Latta thought the present law should be amended so as to charge the licensee a fee graduated according to the admission price of his show.

The up shot of it all was to charge the chief \$5 a day and he went off smiling.

ANARCHISTS ATTACK TRAIN
 (Special to the Bulletin)
 Odeas, Aug. 17.—Anarchists attacked a freight car in the station here today. A police-inspector and three constables were killed trying to prevent the anarchists from looting the office. The anarchists seized 16,000 roubles and escaped.

WILL CHARTER A FLEET
 (Special to the Bulletin)
 London, Aug. 18.—Brigadier Howell and Colonel Lamb sail today for Canada. A fleet of twelve steamers will be chartered by the army for the transportation of 25,000 emigrants to be sent to Canada in 1907.

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PUBLIC SPIRITED CITIZENS.

Not every city in Canada can boast of the public spirit displayed when necessary by citizens of Edmonton, official and private. On many memorable occasions when the city's interests could be conserved by prompt action or when these interests were likely to suffer from delayed action, public spirited citizens have stepped into the breach and at personal risk have secured to Edmonton the benefits of seizing the opportunity.

Several years ago the city was urging the Dominion Government for a bridge across the river. In response to a communication from the city came a message from the then Minister of Public Works that the bridge could be built if the city would contribute \$20,000 toward the cost. The matter was urgent and the assurance of the bridge depended on the prompt acceptance of the offer. To delay until a money bill had been prepared, advertised and voted on, might be to lose the opportunity. The public spirit of citizens came to the rescue, several business men guaranteed the \$20,000, wired acceptance of the offer and relied on the good faith and good judgement of the ratepayers to subsequently pass the by-law and relieve them of the obligation. The long desired bridge was secured and the loyalty of the citizens was attested when they passed the by-law removing the city's burden from the individuals who had volunteered to carry it.

A similar situation arose when the site for the C. N. R. shops was purchased. Again time was the essence of the matter and again citizens assumed the obligation for the city until the legal formalities for raising the money as a municipal loan could be fulfilled. The city thus secured the satisfactory location of the terminals more easily and more cheaply than could otherwise have been done.

Yet again, when it was desired to secure the Helmick property at the corner of McDougall and Rice streets the councillors of the year personally secured the property and held it for the city until the money by-law was ratified when they turned it over to the city.

Another incident occurred recently, probably unknown to many of the citizens, and was completed by the vote on the parks by-law on Tuesday. When it was considered desirable some time since to secure these properties for parks, the aldermen personally accepted the properties at the prices asked and held them for the city until the by-law could be ratified authorizing the purchase by the city. In the meantime the property was the exclusive property of the aldermen and could have been sold to whom they chose. Their public interest was further tested and proven by the fact that the land could have been sold to private parties at a large advance, instead of being turned over to the city at cost.

Such spirit as this is all too un-

common and should neither go unnoticed nor unappreciated. It is the spirit which "makes" cities in the best sense of the term and Edmonton may well admit her debt to those who in times of crisis have pledged their private fortunes to advance the public good and have even sacrificed a legitimate opportunity to enrich themselves that the city might secure the benefit.

As a practice this procedure would be objectionable; as a means of negotiating occasional difficulties it is efficient and calls forth the display of a splendid patriotism.

The Passing of a Pioneer

The death of the late Kenneth Macdonald which was recorded in the Bulletin of August 7th, marks the passing of a man, who as a type is becoming rare in this country. A man of rugged and stern character was Mr. Macdonald able and ready to endure hardships and trials from which the moderns shrink with fear, and yet kindly withal, carrying with typical Scotch reticence, a warm and generous heart beneath a stern exterior.

Mr. Macdonald was born on the island of Lewis, off the Scottish coast, in 1829. At the age of 19 he entered the service of the Hudson's Bay Company, sailing from Lewis to York Factory in May, 1848. He was bound to work for the company for a term of years for \$17 per year and buy his own clothes and tobacco. He came up the Nelson to Lake Winnipeg, and thence up the Saskatchewan to Fort Pitt, where he stayed until the following year when he came to Fort Edmonton, and up to the time of his death a few days ago he has been a resident of these parts.

Mr. Macdonald's work was to go with the boat every spring from Edmonton to York Factory, carrying out furs and bringing back supplies. Both going and coming the work was hard and unceasing, and John Rowan who was factor at that time was a very hard man to get along with, so Macdonald and a few of his comrades planned to run away to the States. But their attempt was foiled by Rowan who put them in chains until they promised to be good. Another time he engaged with a Dr. Rae to go on a government expedition to the frozen north, but again he was foiled by Rowan who found him too useful a man to lose.

Macdonald made not less than nine trips to York Factory and back, which is the record for a white man, as far as is known. On his return from the last trip he became a trader for the company among the Indians, travelling around the country, exchanging goods for skins. He had some thrilling experience on these journeys. Adventures well calculated to show the kind of stuff he was made of, but in all his journeys he never had any serious trouble with the redmen who learned to love and respect him as much as the whites.

Naturally Mr. Macdonald took upland here and when after long and faithful service he left the company, he settled down on his farm, on a part of which the east end of the city is built. The property in time became very valuable and in his old age he was able to live very comfortably and a conspicuous figure in the town, respected by all who knew him.

INJURED BY A GUN

(Special to the Bulletin)

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—Fred Norris, aged 27, a laborer employed at Baidur, was brought to Winnipeg yesterday afternoon suffering from a severe gunshot wound in the left leg. Norris was hunting two days ago when his gun accidentally discharged burying a load of buckshot in the calf below the knee. He was discovered unconscious two miles from his place of employment by neighbors who carried him home. Blood poisoning is feared.

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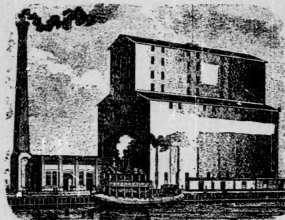
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The Harvest of the Western Crop

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The Winnipeg Free Press has had special crop experts examining the entire West for some time. One of them writing from Edmonton says:

I have at last reached the terminus of the Canadian Northern main line. I find from the best possible sources of information that the crop area from Millet to Edmonton, and then along the C. N. R. to Fort Saskatchewan totals about 60,000 acres. Of this area only 12,000 acres are under spring wheat and there are about 200 acres of winter wheat. In the St. Albert and Stony Plain districts there are about 33,000 acres in crop, nearly 10,000 being under spring wheat. The Alberta Department of Agriculture has during the summer conducted a very carefully thought-out plan for the obtaining of reliable crop reports. The average which is looked for by the Department for the entire territory referred to is approximately 21 bushels per acre for spring and 20 for winter wheat.

Geo. H. Clarke, seed commissioner, estimates that, where not injured by cut worms, the wheat will average thirty bushels an acre in this district. Of course much of the injured crop was reseeded and thus removed from the wheat area.

The crop looks to me to be good for 21 or 22 bushels per acre on the average. Some of the winter wheat fields look good for 25 bushels per acre. One man cannot get a direct knowledge of so vast a district and there may be localities where the crops are considerably lighter.

Some fields show the ravages of cut worms very plainly, but there are spring wheat fields here which will, to all appearances, yield 35 bushels per acre or over. There are no reports of damage from any source, to any extent, which would affect the average. There are slight traces of leaf rust, but nothing to cause the least alarm. The heads, as a rule, seem well filled and the kernels plump and full.

The season in this district has been a very peculiar one. The crop was put in somewhat later than usual, but owing to the very hot summer it is ripening earlier than in former years. Harvest will be fairly begun towards the latter part of next week. It would be strange with such rapid growth to maturity, the head should be found as well filled as in other years. There seems that little reason for fear in this respect around Edmonton, but I met one farmer who claimed that his length. In places there are empty husks in the centre rows. It is quite likely that results will prove that the departmental estimate for the whole area is about correct. This will mean a total output for the area described of about 465,000 bushels of wheat. In the Victoria district, including territory between townships 55 and 60 inclusive, and extending eastward to the fourth meridian and westward to range 24, west of the fourth meridian there is said to be 14,396 acres in wheat. The average there will be nearly 24 bushels per acre and the total yield at about 345,000 bushels. The acreage of oats through the whole territory is very large and with the Victoria district the whole yield of this cereal will run close to four million bushels. Of course there are many fields which promise bumper yields, but such cannot be taken as an average. For large area, around Edmonton and Strathcona crops look equal to any I have seen.

With regard to conditions along the C. N. R. main line, I consider the outlook as very promising. The country is as yet very new and grain growers have drawbacks, peculiarly their own. Little patches of wheat left without watchful care on the vast prairie are attacked by gophers swarming in from the unused land. It would seem to me that the greatest menace to the country as a whole is the idle lands held by corporations and speculators, which are either withdrawn from the market or held at prohibitive prices.

From Dauphin to Humboldt I noticed a great deal of red leaf rust, and here and there I found traces of smut. Some fields showed little or no smut but there was enough in the territory to bring the question up again very prominently before another seed time in the Dauphin to Humboldt district.

The crops were generally heavy in many places down, and despite G. H. Clarke's contrary opinion I would still estimate an average yield of from 22 to 24 bushels unless some damage has occurred since my visits. Westward from Humboldt there was a stretch of country along the track notably from Aberdeen to the North Saskatchewan, where crops were light.

SPLENDID CROPS IN PEACE RIVER

Traveller Now in the City is Enthusiastic Over the Northern Valley

Mr. A. L. King, who has just "packed" 1,600 miles through the Peace River district is registered at the Windsor. In an interview Mr. King says that the prosperity and resources of that district are almost incomprehensible; in fact he thought it would be impossible to believe or understand what the country really was without seeing it. The acreage of grain this year is larger than ever before and the crops are magnificent. The wheat and hay was nearly all cut when he left and it was a bumper yield. Wheat brings \$1.25 per bushel at the Hudson's Bay Co.'s mill. Oats sell at \$2 per bushel and the barley, which is the finest in the world, is worth \$1.75 per bushel. Barley which tests 70 lbs. to the bushel, he said was quite common. At these prices the farmers were making money "hand over fist" and ranching was an equally attractive proposition.

The country is also rich in minerals. Iron and coal are in large quantities everywhere, while there are good deposits of gypsum and mica. Gold, of course, is found in the river beds, and only requires up-to-date methods to make its dredging very profitable.

One good feature about this district is that the land is uniformly good and averages about 12 or 14 inches of beautiful black loam, as fine as garden soil. The greatest source of danger to the country is fire. Vast areas of beautiful timber have been and are being destroyed while the very prairie itself seems to burn out and then become covered with underbrush. This is chiefly due to the carelessness of the Indians who are not nearly so careful as they used to be.

Mortality seems to be on the decrease among the native Indians, who spend much of their time in gambling and idling, waiting for more favorable opportunities. The missionaries and priests seem powerless to do anything to stop this gambling fever.

Mr. King concluded by saying that if he really wanted to prevaricate, he didn't believe he could say enough about the country and its prospects.

Some fields very light. I could not stop off at every point as harvest was fast approaching but I was told on reliable authority that back from the track crops were better.

The land where the poor crops grew seemed light and sandy and there had apparently been a lack of rain. At Battleford and on the west crops were better, in some places very heavy and lush but was not existent. Of course, even in the Battleford district poor cultivation was frequently found with consequent crop deterioration. It seems to me that the average for the whole line should be 18 or 19 bushels per acre.

A large bulk of wheat promises to grade high. There will be a big increase for next year, nearly double, in fact. The country is beautiful beyond expression and has a wonderful future before it from a grain standpoint.

With regard to the country along the Calgary and Edmonton line the areas in wheat are not large, and as harvest is on I have decided to jump to Calgary and back to Regina as fast as possible, and thence to Prince Albert.

Vegreville, Alberta, Aug. 11—I find that there is quite an extensive area of land under crops tributary to this point. The district is very extensive, ranging fifty miles to the north and perhaps fifty to the southeast, and there are also other large tributary areas. I drove seventy miles over the country today and saw a large number of excellent wheat fields.

The grain stands tall and strong and there is very little lodging; no sign of any kind of damage. The straw is beautifully clean, rust and smut not being encountered in any field.

Most of the wheat heads in a handful plucked at random are six rowed containing thirty-two and upwards plump kernels. People here are free in estimating an average of over thirty bushels per acre. It is safe to say that the crop will average twenty-five. There are many fields that will beat this easily. However it is estimated by those that the total wheat area this year is from 10,000 to 12,000 acres, so that a yield from 200,000 to 300,000 bushels may be looked for.

There has been considerable increase of acreage since last year and breaking has been the order of the day this season. The crop area will be double probably next year. I saw some newly broken fields containing a hundred acres or over. The oat crop is quite good. In some places it is heavy and in others somewhat lighter. The oat crop area is larger than that devoted to wheat. Barley is also a good crop. Harvesting has commenced and will be general by the fifteenth. The weather remains very hot and I expected to see some signs of damage from too fast ripening. How-

INVESTIGATION NEXT WEEK

Will Hold Sitzings Throughout Canada and at Liverpool to Investigate Alleged Abuses

Mr. John R. Boyle, M.P.P. for Sturgeon expects to leave on Monday for Winnipeg to join the other members of the Dominion Grain Commission who assemble there to begin an investigation into the grain trade of Canada. This commission was appointed by the Federal Government a short time since for the purpose of investigating complaints regarding the grain trade, made by the Grain Growers Association and other farmers' organizations in western Canada. The members of the body are John Miller, Indian Head, secretary of the Grain Growers' Association who will be chairman of the commission and represents the provinces of Sa-



JOHN R. BOYLE, M.P.P.

atchewan; W. H. McVair, representing Manitoba; J. Goldie from Ontario and Mr. Boyle from Alberta. The latter will be secretary of the commission. The board have power to summon witnesses and take evidence under oath as to any transaction in connection with the grain trade.

The intention is to commence the investigation at Winnipeg, probably the latter part of next week and work eastward to Montreal, holding sessions in points such as Fort William, Fort Arthur and at the Georgian Bay ports. From Montreal the commission will return to the west and complete the investigations in the western provinces while the export trade is under full swing.

The board will then cross the Atlantic and conclude their final investigations at Liverpool, the terminus of the wheat export trade of Canada to the mother land.

ever this expectation has not been fulfilled. The kernels all seem to be plump, full and healthy. A little damage to the oats is reported from about thirty miles south caused by intense heat following heavy rains and effecting the lower husks.

The prospects here are very bright for a successful harvest. A new mill and elevator are to be built this fall. A large amount of wheat will be shipped in sacks.

A Vermilion, report says: After careful inspection, I find the crop conditions all that could be wished for. Harvest has commenced and nearly all the grain is ready for the binder. Vermilion is the newest district along the line, necessarily much of the grain is on spring breaking. The acreage here is yet very small, consequently there will be very little grain marketed at this point this season. We understand, however, that O. Baker, of the firm of Baker & Sons, general merchants, will build an elevator here at once. He will also run a chop mill in connection.

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Peace River Crops Good

There is a fascination about the north, which, when it has once obtained its hold upon the adventurous mind, keeps him and may account for the repeated excursions of Mr. Alexander Livingstone who recently returned from the Peace river country.

In conversation with a Winnipeg reporter Mr. Livingstone had, a few observations to make on the scenes of his recent travel. In the first instance he spoke very highly of the soil and climate of that distant region, and expressed his confidence in its future.

"Wherever the ground was cultivated," he said, "the crops were of the finest description. This applies to the Peace river settlement, about 30 miles west of Lesser Slave lake, where, perhaps, in all, there are 3,000 to 4,000 acres under cultivation; largely oats and barley, and also some wheat. The water in the lake had fallen about five feet from the level it held during my journey there three years ago. The water in Lesser Slave river was also very low. The Athabasca river is still navigable and a fine steamer, with the appropriate name of the Midnight Sun, belonging to Captain Woods, of Athabasca Landing, is running from that point to the mouth of the Lesser Slave river. A side-wheeler has been constructed to operate on the Lesser Slave lake, but it had some difficulty in reaching the lake through the Lesser Slave river."

Referring to the Grand Trunk Pacific route, Mr. Livingstone mentioned that the railway surveys were working west of Sturgeon lake, to the Smoky river and Grand Prairie. "At Sturgeon Lake," he said, "there is a good deal of prairie, and the soil seems to be first class, judging from the small amount of crop examined. The Indians have some oats, and there are quite nice patches of potatoes—all looking beautiful. Besides Indians, there are a priest and two Hudson's bay officials."

"East of Sturgeon lake—about 80 miles—is the Peace river settlement, where 10 or 12 settlers are living. The land is not enough surveyed, and they have not gone ahead as fast as they would have liked to do. The absence of a survey delays them from putting their full energy into the settlement, as they may be improving land which eventually belongs to someone else."

"The soil, however, is excellent, and fully two weeks earlier than in Manitoba or Alberta, owing to the greater the crops are of the finest. They ripen amount of sunlight. It is going to form a splendid settlement when it is surveyed."

"There is a ready sale for their oats at \$1.50 per bushel. Around Lesser Slave Lake, there are probably 1,000 acres under cultivation."

Fishing in the lake has been very poor this year."

M. Livingstone set out on his trip in March last, going to Edmonton by rail, and thence by wagon 300 miles to Lesser Slave lake, and 70 miles to Sturgeon lake. Then he returned to Lesser Slave lake, and came down to Athabasca Landing in a York boat.

SIGN OF PROGRESS.

A union railway station is to be built, the Canadian Northern is extending the road two hundred miles north this summer, and this means expansion in trade. There are some good churches and the people are a law-abiding lot of folks. Alberta College, which is less than two years old, has doubled the capacity of the building, and will soon need more room, and with the splendid schools in operation there is furnished for the young people all that is needed to ensure a good education. I dare not repeat all that I heard about the city, as I might be accused of boasting it, while I am only giving in a plain fashion some of the things which I saw and heard, and keeping cool, amid all the excitement induced by such rapid growth.

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Fract. parts Lo's 12-13, Block 4, R. L. 14, 1 house	1200.00
Fract. parts Lots 14 & E. 1-2 15, Block 4, R. L. 14, 1 house	2000.00
Fract. parts Lots W. 1-2 15 & 16, Block 4, R. L. 14, 1 house (double)	3500.00
Fract. parts Lots 38-40, Block 2, R. L. 12, 2 houses	9,000.00
Fract. parts Lots 43-47, Block 2, R. L. 12, 3 houses	12,000.00

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9 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of giving engineers and apprentices an opportunity of qualifying for Certificates under the provisions of The Steam Boilers Act, 1906.

Application for examination should be made to the above named inspector, or to

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Strathcona

Strathcona, Aug. 16.—Rev. David Fleming, B.A., of the Presbyterian church is on a vacation at Cooking Lake.

Mrs. H. A. Ferguson, of Meaford, Ont., is spending a few weeks' holiday with her son Mr. Archie E. Ferguson in Strathcona.

Yesterday morning operations were begun at excavating on the site of the new Presbyterian church at the corner of Niblock and Main streets.

Mr. Herbert Gray is at present building two cottages on Whyte avenue east.

Work on the erection of the Separate school on Niblock St. is proceeding rapidly and the full brick basement is now completed.

At a police court held today Mr. Carstairs sued Messrs. R. Ochener, of the Strathcona Brewery, for the sum of \$68.00 which plaintiff claimed he was entitled to in lieu of wages while in that firm's employment. Mr. Robert Ritchie, J.P., presided, and after evidence had been had, the case was dismissed with costs against plaintiff.

CALGARY MUNICIPAL LIGHTING SYSTEM

The Calgary Herald interviewed the city clerk with regard to the revenues and expenditures in connection with the municipal electric light plant since it commenced work in January, and says:

The following is a correct report of the revenues from incandescent and arc lighting:

	Incandescent
January	\$262.95
February	391.79
March	454.09
April	561.19
May	557.93
June	569.00
July (estimate)	906.00
	\$3687.04

	Arc Lighting
January	\$670.00
February	599.40
March	599.40
April	599.40
May	599.40
June	612.72
July	612.72
	\$4253.04

Total ... \$7,940.08

The two bylaws passed to raise the money for its installation called for \$60,000 and \$30,000. The first sum was borrowed at 5 per cent., and the \$30,000 at 4 1/2 per cent.

The interest for the entire year on the money borrowed will amount to \$3,675. The sinking fund is \$1,928.40, making a total of \$4,703.40. This represents \$391 monthly.

The coal bill per month at \$15 a day is \$450.

The oil bill at \$2 a day is \$30. The wages bill for three engineers and three foremen is \$405.

The running expenses apart from extension work, which comes under by-laws, would be about \$75 a month.

The total expenses would be thus about \$1,494.

The total revenues are \$1,134 approximately. The loss therefore to date is about \$360 a month.

Considering that the plant has been increasing its connections rapidly since January and that it began with nothing, the showing is remarkably good.

WE ALL AGREE TO THIS

(From the Washington Evening Star)
The evening paper is unmistakably the paper of progress and success. Its development in point of circulation and advertising patronage during the past two decades is the most striking fact in all the record of American journalism. The people of this country, in truth, have awakened to the fact that in the evening newspaper they find the type of themselves and their times, and they have supported and encouraged it accordingly, until it is now the dominating factor in the newspaper world of this continent.

This truth is well illustrated by the success of the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin, a paper which, now in its sixty-first year, has in late years developed until it has today a circulation larger than was ever before attained by a Philadelphia Daily journal. So rapidly has it grown that it has reached the limit of its old quarters, and yesterday work was started upon the construction of a new home in the heart of the business district of the city, and planned upon lines of both architectural attractiveness and practical convenience. The new home of the Bulletin will probably be one of the handsomest and most complete newspaper establishments in the United States, and will mark a richly deserved success.

MONARCHS WERE FRIENDLY

(Special to the Bulletin)
Cronberg, Prussia, Aug. 17.—King Edward left here this morning after visiting the Kaiser on the way to Marburg for his annual visit. The two monarchs parted with the same outward manifestation of friendship that marked their greeting during the entire course of the visit. The Kaiser accompanied his uncle to the station and the rulers embraced before the King boarded the train. The British sovereign waved his hand to the Kaiser as the train left. The German press has a cordial tone and it is generally felt that the result of the visit has been to restore between the monarchs better relations than can be established between Germany and England.

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(John McLean in Halifax Herald)
Edmonton was a hamlet when I last saw it, today it is the capital of Alberta, with a population of 10,000, which is certain to be doubled within the next three years. The fact that it has been selected as the capital of the province is sufficient of itself to attract professional men and merchants besides the inauguration of industries, for that which has transformed the unimportant hamlet of Bytown into the city of Ottawa, will in a lesser degree make Edmonton the Winnipeg of the far west. But there are other factors which contribute toward making it a great city. Situated as it is almost in the centre of a province which is capable of producing as much wheat as the annual production of the United States and having 251,000 square miles of territory of which 150,000 square miles are largely fit for settlement, and then beyond the northern boundary the country stretches for 2,000 miles to the Arctic circle; surely there is scope for an empire, and the citizen is justly proud when they speak of their province as the richest in the Dominion and the city as the gate way to the northwest. Four years ago there were less than 3,000 people in the town and now there are nearly 11,000 according to conservative estimates; the assessment of the town was then about a million and a half dollars and now it is over six million and a half. With such a territory within the province and beyond Edmonton is destined to become a great industrial centre and distributing point, and this has been recognized already, for there are five among wholesale houses there, with more to follow.

PUSH OF THE RAILROADS

The fact that the Grand Trunk Pacific is pushing rapidly toward the city to keep pace with the Canadian Northern, which is already there, and the Canadian Pacific which will build a million dollar bridge across the Saskatchewan, connecting Strathcona with Edmonton and the Great Northern looking toward that point, goes to show that these great empire builders think of the future of the city as a divisional point. Already people are making enquiries about the prospects of the Yellowhead Pass for business. An old friend of mine, a widow who has been a successful farmer in Manitoba informed me the other day, that she had sold her farm and was starting for Edmonton to find out the prospects of starting business in one of the railroad towns which is sure to be started. I told her to buy a second-hand copy of Principal Grant's "Ocean to Ocean," as the book is out of print, and as that contains a fine account of the Sandford Fleming expedition, she would glean from its pages a good deal of useful information about the Yellowhead Pass and the routes of future railroads.

The city is situated on a lofty upland overlooking the Saskatchewan river, upon whose broad flats extensive gardens are laid out to supply the public with vegetables, and although the old-time ferry still crosses the river as in the days of yore, there is a good iron bridge which connects Strathcona with Edmonton. It has eleven and a half miles of sewers, twelve miles of water mains, thirty miles of graded streets and a ten feet wide, and thirty-two miles of plank walks. That is only the beginning, for as the capital of a province two and a half times the area of Great Britain and Ireland, and of such fertility that it was informed that many persons had forty bushels of wheat to the acre, and with a winter temperature equal to that of Southern Minnesota, it does not seem as if anything could retard its progress.

COAL IN ABUNDANCE

There is coal in abundance in the district, which sells in the city at three dollars per ton; there are seven flour mills and a cereal mill in operation in and around the city, and the lumber mills in the vicinity cut from fifteen to twenty million feet every year. Nearly seven hundred pounds of butter were produced last year in the creameries between Edmonton and Inisfail, which is 115 miles south. I took a drive through the city, and whilst the driver and I complained about the mud, which was, in modern phraseology, "awful," we congratulated ourselves that mud was the foundation of prosperity, especially where the farmers raise wheat and we were contented, though we hoped that the people would soon begin their construction.

MORE ELEVATORS NEEDED.
Camrose Mail: The most important matter that should gain the attention of the Camrose Business Men's association without delay, is the question of grain accommodation at this center. Can we manage with the present accommodation to take care of the fall crop? If not, and it certainly looks that way, steps should be taken at once towards the erection of more elevators.

The Mail is of the opinion that Camrose needs at least two more elevators.

templated street railway, as it was much needed. I could not help noting the hospital, hotels, schools, banks and business blocks and some of the fine residences, all of brick and stone, and usually a person can get some idea of the stability and prospects of a town from the character and style of the buildings, and I concluded that not only had the citizens great faith in the future, but that they all seemed to be in easy circumstances and full of enterprise.

MONEY-MAKING AUTO.

I heard of a young man with some brains and money who bought an automobile, and was renting it out at a high rate per hour, and it was in constant use all day and late into the night, and he was making a good deal of money by his scheme. Any young man or woman of inventive genius seems to find so many opportunities in this new country, that the mind becomes awakened, and is never so faintly as to be very select in the work undertaken, so long as it is honest, and almost before their friends are aware, they have launched some new scheme, and are on the way to fortune.

As I was passing through one of the streets I was hailed by a man on a dairy wagon, and at once, despite his apron, I recognized a man to whom I had given some information about the West six months ago, and in bidding me good-bye in Halifax he informed me that he was going with his family to Edmonton to look for a job and take the first one he could get. On asking him how he was getting on, he smiled with great satisfaction and said: "I am doing splendidly. I am running a dairy; and could sell more milk than I have half miles of granolithic walks, four on hand. I am glad that I came West." That is only one instance of several old Halifaxians whom I met in Edmonton and other parts of Alberta.

PLENTY OF ROOM.

There is plenty of room for all men and women whom we can send, and good investments for persons of means. Let, however, there should be a danger of depopulating the maritime provinces, I would suggest that our maritime industries start branches in the West, for if men of brains can get along so well in the new provinces, why may not the older men who direct the industries of the East capture a large share of the Western trade, and why should we not urge upon our provincial governments to inaugurate an aggressive immigration campaign to develop the resources of the East? No doubt there are shepherds in Scotland who could be induced to help on the sheep industry in Nova Scotia, and if we are lacking in genius or enterprise, they could teach us some lessons, and surely we are not so foolish as to refuse help from any source of a legitimate kind.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Edmonton owns its electric light, waterworks, and telephone systems, and is making them pay. Real estate has advanced rapidly, and is certain to keep pace with the growth of the city, for as the capital, "in its governmental buildings, there will be required a good deal of land, and there must be attracted there a large number of lawyers and medical men, who will build good residences suitable to their wealth and social and political station. I saw a frame residence on a single lot, which could have been bought a year ago for less than one thousand dollars, and it sold the other day for eight thousand. With the building of the railroads and the establishment of factories and with the opening up of the country east and west, and the people flocking northward into the fertile Peace River Valley, there must come to the capital a large amount of money and the founding of wholesale places of business. It is impossible to predict what Edmonton will be five years hence, but I have great faith in its future. A friend informed me that already there were more than seventy real estate agencies in the city, which I must say are too many and the business is overdone.

GRAIN PRICES

(Special to the Bulletin)
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—No. 1 northern 74.4; No. 2 73.4; No. 3 68; No. 2, white oats, 30.1-2; No. 3 barley 40; No. 1 flax 1.00.

SHARP IS PRESIDENT

(Special to the Bulletin)
Halifax, Aug. 17.—Mayor Thomas Sharp of Winnipeg was elected president of the Union of Canadian Municipalities and Mayor Cowsworth of Toronto second vice-president.

In Britain's Oldest Colony
From "Canada"

The report that Lord Grey and Sir Wilfrid Laurier are going to Newfoundland, no matter whether for private reason, or on high matters of State, must again awaken interest in the romantic records of the "most ancient colony of Great Britain." Somewhat dazzled by the enormous growth of the neighboring Dominion, Britons have been apt to lose sight of the part which this small island—only one-third the size of Great Britain—has played in the making of Imperial history.

It was in 1584, nearly a century after its discovery by John Cabot, that Sir Walter Raleigh remarked that if any harm happened to the Newfoundland fleet, it would be one of the greatest disasters that had ever befallen England; and when it is remembered that at this time the whole of the British fleet did not equal in tonnage one of the large, modern ocean-going vessels, it can easily be imagined in what light the hardy fishing population of the island and their craft were viewed by the Elizabethan authorities. From this time henceforward Newfoundland has been the cradle of the hardest specimens of Britain's seafarers, and today the islanders worthily uphold their reputation as seafarers by maintaining a naval reserve, a contingent of which were on a visit to England asher time ago.

The year of grace 1497 was that in which the news of the success of the voyage of Christopher Columbus reached England, whereat the paragonized Henry VII., realizing that he had lost an opportunity of immortal fame in refusing to support Columbus, agreed to fit out John Cabot on a voyage of discovery, providing him for the purpose a small fifty-ton craft named the Matthew. By the success of this expedition in discovering the island, Britain obtained her first foothold in the new lands of the west. Writers, and those especially of American nationality, have attempted to prove that Newfoundland was known centuries previous to Cabot's landing to the old Norse navigators, but this contention has been refuted on reliable evidence.

As to what occurred on Newfoundland immediately after its discovery authorities differ. It has generally been held that England was content to leave the island in the hands of adventurous of all nationalities attracted by its prolific fishing; but Judge D. W. Prowse, the late Judge of the Central District Court of the island, contends, and quotes various old writers in support of his argument, that England was all the while cultivating the land and its valuable industry. Whatever away England might have exerted over the country before 1583, it is certain that in that year Sir Humphrey Gilbert took possession of it in the name of Queen Elizabeth. For many years after that, however, although nominally under the British Crown, Newfoundland was ruled by the bluff folk—half-fishermen, half-privateers—who poured in from the West of England to reap the harvests of the surrounding seas. Their numbers were from time to time augmented by similar adventurers from France and Spain, and many were the sanguinary contests between these rival fishermen. In addition there were the constant perils of storm and fog to be combated; and sudden incursions by rovers of the sea, who, after burning the entire settlement, would sail away laden with plunder, to be resisted. These hardships, however, made the island more

attractive to the roving spirits of the age of Drake and Raleigh, and the tales of wealth and adventure of the wonderful birds and beasts, and above all, of the strange red man, lure increasing numbers of fortune hunters to the shores of Newfoundland. Thus it came about that little law or order prevailed on the island. The object of the new-comers was Bonavista and Tor Bay. As a matter of fact, it was only the intervention of humane and enlightened Englishmen, such as Sir John Barry that prevented the fishermen from pulling down the houses of the inhabitants and driving them from the colony. It was during this regime that the royal Government ceded the south-west portion of the island to France, and though this was regained during the reign of George III., Lord Butte, who was prime minister, allowed the French to retain the fishing rights of the district, much to the disgust of Pitt, who had just retired. These rights have in the past been the cause of much acrimonious diplomacy between the two nations.

It was a happy release for the settlers when in 1775 the first naval governor, Captain Osborne, arrived in the colony, even though the control of the governors lasted only during the fishing season, and they returned home again in the autumn. Their visits, however, had the effect of diminishing the authority of the "fishing admirals," though the courts of Justice still retained much of their old vitality, much to the detriment of the settlers. What might be termed the modern period of the Newfoundland Government began in 1824 with the constitution by Royal Charter of a Supreme Court and in the following year the first resident governor, Sir Thomas Cochrane, arrived. In 1832, the first session of the House of Assembly was held in state and from that period, the island has advanced slowly but surely, the full grant of responsible government being obtained in 1859. From 1880, can be dated the period of the railway, which, having passed through various vicissitudes, has eventually been established on a sound basis.

In 1834, the island passed through a period of acute financial distress owing to a bank crash. Negotiations were re-opened with a view to Newfoundland being admitted to the Confederacy of the Dominion, and on April 4th, 1855, Sir R. Bond, the Hon. E. P. Morris, Geo. H. Emerson, and W. H. Horwood, met the Dominion Government delegates at Ottawa. The discussions proved abortive, chiefly on account of the Dominion being unwilling to assume the whole of the island's debt. Several attempts have since been made, but have been rejected by the people of Newfoundland, who have always shown a very independent spirit.

The fisheries, of course, must be regarded as the chief asset of Newfoundland as a commercial wealth. Her cod and her fishery products are the richest in the world, whilst the whaling and sealing industries are the source of a large revenue. The salmon, too, which teem in the inland waters, are not to be despised. Her forest lands are rich, and the pulp-making industry a great and growing one, while her mineral wealth, though not yet fully developed, is known to be extensive, especially as regards coal and iron. The former is mined principally at Roblin, and in the neighborhood of the Middle Barabois River, while extensive deposits of the latter are found at Belle Isle. Of Newfoundland's game hunter, says: "It is the one really wild country where big game are still plentiful, and where a shooting trip can be undertaken at comparatively small cost. It is not only to the sportsman that I would recommend a visit to Newfoundland, but I feel sure that many a man whose health has been impaired by the strain on body and mind by modern civilized life, would reap far more benefit from a German watering place."

HOW CANADA'S TRADE EXPANDS.

The grand aggregate of Canada's foreign trade for the last fiscal year reached the enormous sum of \$559,854,746, a gain of \$11,229,336 as compared with 1896 and \$93,768,927 as compared with the previous year of 1899 per cent, and 17 per cent, respectively.

Taking the trade by countries the total imports from Great Britain amounted to \$29,238,751 as against \$20,538,811 for the year ending June 30, 1905. Of this amount the dutiable goods amounted to \$12,794,823, a gain of \$7,343,814 over the preceding year. The imports free of duty totalled \$16,443,928, an improvement of \$1,488,126 compared with 1894-5. The exports to Britain and Canadian merchandise were \$12,456,471, while for the preceding year they amounted to \$9,714,867.

The striking feature of the trade returns is the very substantial improvement in the commercial dealings between Great Britain and Canada. It will be noticed that the increase in Canada's trade over the previous year amounts to about \$30,000,000, which in turn the British trade contributes in round figures \$10,000,000. Comparing last year's imports for consumption from Britain amounting to \$69,176,189, with those for 1897 when the reference was inaugurated, totalling \$39,412,183, it will be seen that there has been an improvement of no less than 138 per cent. The increase of the amount of imports for consumption from Britain was nearly \$30,000,000.

Canada imported from the United States goods to the amount of \$189,000,000.

Total Imports	1905.	1906.
Dutiable	\$294,267,616	\$266,834,417
Free	\$117,459,583	\$157,164,970
Duty collected	\$46,688,359	\$109,569,423
Exports—Grand total	\$256,586,630	\$203,316,872
Merchandise	\$215,481,956	\$190,854,946
Canadian merchandise to Great Britain	\$127,456,471	\$97,114,867
Canadian merchandise to United States	\$3,545,466	\$70,436,765
Grand aggregate trade	\$1,718,912	\$1,125,566
Aggregate on basis goods for consumption and home produce	\$559,854,746	\$452,789,500

729,458, of which \$94,200,167 were dutiable and \$58,529,321 free of duty. For the preceding year the total imports amounted to \$166,040,596 and the exports to \$183,239,604 dutiable and \$82,801,296 free.

It will be observed that there is a great disparity between the imports of free goods from Britain compared with those from the United States. The fact is Canada has to import from the United States large quantities of raw materials for manufacturing which cannot be obtained from the mother country.

The exports of Canadian merchandise to the United States last year amounted to \$13,546,498, total for preceding year being \$10,226,765. According to these returns the United States supplied 69 per cent of Canada's imports for consumption, compared with 51 per cent from Britain. However the gain in imports from Great Britain was 15 per cent, and from the United States 8 per cent.

The tariff on German goods has played havoc with imports from that country. Three years ago the value of imports for consumption from Germany amounted to \$12,282,637, whereas last year they dropped to a little over \$7,000,000. Canada's imports from France last year were \$7,698,650, a gain of about \$500,000.

Canada exported to France Canadian goods to the value of \$2,110,344, as compared with \$1,479,933 for the year previous.

The following is a comparative statement of the trade returns:

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Exports	\$256,586,630	\$203,316,872
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Imports from U.S.	\$189,000,000	\$189,000,000
Imports from Germany	\$12,282,637	\$7,000,000
Imports from France	\$7,698,650	\$7,698,650
Imports from other countries	\$1,718,912	\$1,125,566
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Exports to Germany	\$12,282,637	\$7,000,000
Exports to France	\$7,698,650	\$7,698,650
Exports to other countries	\$1,718,912	\$1,125,566

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PRINTERS' PIE

BY G. C. S.

In this page will from time to time be reprinted sketches and literary gems, which should be valuable to readers in that it will give them easy access to some bright reading. A little sketch by Ralph Waldo Emerson is the first chapter. Note the logical simplicity of this little sketch and think it over a bit:

"The first planter, the savage, without helpers, without tools, looking chiefly to safety from his enemy—... or beast—takes poor and. The better lands are loaded with timber which he cannot clear, they need drainage which he cannot attempt. He cannot plow or fell trees or drain the rich soil. He is a poor creature; he scratches with a sharp stick, lives in a cave or a hut, has no road but the trail of the moose or bear; he lives on their flesh when he can kill one, on roots and fruits when he cannot. He fails, and is lame; he coughs, he has a stitch in his side, he has fever and chills; when he is hungry he cannot always kill and eat a bear—chances of war—sometimes the bear eats him. 'Tis long before he digs or plants at all, and then only a patch. Later he burns that his planting is better than his hunting; that the earth works faster for him than he can work for himself,—works for him while he is asleep, when it rains, when the heat overcomes him. The sunstroke which knocks him down brings his corn up. As his family thrive, and other planters come up around him, he begins to fell trees and clear good land and when by and by, there is more skill, and tools and roads, the new generations are strong enough to open the lowlands, where the wash of the mountains has accumulated the best soil, which yield a hundred-fold the former crops. The last lands are the best lands. It needs science and a great number of years to cultivate the best lands and in the best manner. Thus true political economy is not mean, but liberal, and on the pattern of the sun and sky. Population increases in the ratio of morality; credit exists in the ratio of morality.

"The Tomb of Napoleon," by that most wonderful of all American orators, Robt. G. Ingersoll, is notable not only for the vividness of the picture which it presents but also for the enormously humanitarian moral which it draws.

"A little while ago I stood by the grave of the old Napoleon—a magnificent tomb of gilt and gold, fit almost for a deity dead—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and nameless marble, where rests at last the ashes of that restless man. I leaned over the balustrade and thought about the career of the greatest soldier of the modern world.

"I saw him walking upon the banks of the Seine contemplating suicide. I saw him at Toulon. I saw him putting down the mob in the streets of Paris. I saw him at the head of the army in Italy. I saw him crossing the bridge at Lodi with the tricolor in his hand. I saw him in Egypt, in the shadows of the pyramids. I saw him conquer the Alps and mingle the eagles of France with the eagles of the crags. I saw him at Marengo, at Ulm, and at Austerlitz. I saw him in Russia, when the infantry of the snow and the cavalry of the wind had scattered his legions like winter's withered leaves. I saw him at Leipzig in defeat and disaster—driven by a million bayonets back upon Paris—clutched like a wild beast—banished to Elba. I saw him escape and retake an empire by the force of his genius. I saw him upon the heights of Waterloo, where chance and the fate combined to wreck the fortunes of their former king. And I saw him at St. Helena, with his hands crossed behind him, gazing out upon the sad and solemn sea.

I thought of the widows and orphans he had made, of the tears shed for his glory, and of the only woman who ever loved him, pushed from his heart by the cold hand of ambition. And I said I would rather have been a French peasant and worn wooden shoes; I would rather have lived in a hut with a vine growing over the door, and the grapes growing purple in the amorous kisses of the autumn sun. I would rather have been that poor peasant, with my wife by my side knitting as the day died out of the sky, with my children upon my knees and their arms about me; I would rather have been this man and gone down to the tongueless silence of the dreamless dust, than to have been that imperial personation of force and murder known as Napoleon the Great."

Mark Twain, in Harper's Weekly, has something to say about the awful conversations to be found in current novels, and gives the following as an example:

"...replied Alfred, flipping the ash from his cigar." "Richard, with a laugh," murmured Gladys, blushing."

"...repeated Evelyn, bursting into tears."

"...replied the Earl, flipping the ash from his cigar."

"...replied the undertaker, with a laugh."

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P. BURNS TALKS OF CATTLE

Thinks Cattle Embargo Is a Benefit Rather Than Drawback.

(F. A. Acland in the Toronto Globe.)

Reverting again to ranching and the cattle industry, I am reminded of one or two interesting conversations I have had during my stay in the west. I had the pleasure of one day driving between twenty and thirty miles through the Blood reserve near Macleod, with Mr. Pat Burns, the famous organizer of the meat industry of Alberta and British Columbia. Mr. Burns was inspecting the cattle of a rancher who had leased lands on the reserve, and it was interesting to see how his experienced eye observed and noted the characteristics of the animals amid which we drove. A score or so of typical beasts were scrutinized closely, a couple of hundred perhaps more generally, and on the strength of his observations Mr. Burns purchased on all probability some three thousand head. There were some eight or ten thousand cattle on the reserve, yet so vast were these grazing lands that we were driven for a couple of hours without finding a trace of them. From 10 to 15 acres per head, it should be remembered, go to the making of a cattle ranch in a country where the cattle are out the year round, and require only feed in quite exceptional circumstances. There were a good many Indian cattle noticeable. They were distinguished from those of the rancher only of course by the brand. Several of the Indians, I learned, own cattle in considerable numbers, reaching in a few cases from one to two hundred head.

The question of building up an export meat industry came up for discussion. Mr. Burns was asked if he did not think the export of dead meat would prove more profitable to the rancher than the shipping of live cattle, that had to be killed on arrival at Great Britain, with the depreciation of the quality of the meat consequent on the long journey over railway and sea. Mr. Burns was not at all favorable to the idea. He would not even admit that the cattle embargo established in Great Britain, was a detriment to Canada.

"It is much better to have the cattle finished here," he explained, "where pasture is so cheap, than there, where it is so much more costly. Of course the Scotch farmers want the embargo taken off, because they would get the benefit of the feeding industry. The only injustice I see in the embargo is the fact that it is supposed to be a protection against our diseased cattle, which, of course, do not exist here."

Mr. Burns was asked if it would not be an advantage to export two-year-old steers, instead of four-year-olds, granted the removal of the embargo, so that the animals might spend a long enough time in Great Britain to sell as English beef and secure much higher prices than at present. This is the argument mostly preferred by the ranchers.

But Mr. Burns was obdurate on the point. He doubted that the increased price obtained would offset the increased cost of maintenance in Britain, and, referring again to the question of a dead meat trade, he mentioned the point that when the live animal is shipped he carries with him to the best market hide and offals, without any extra charge. A more serious objection still would be that to ship meat to England in the best condition the carcasses would have to be confined to the late summer and the fall, and the extensive abattoir and cold storage appliances on railway and seacoast would be idle most of the year, while the sudden importation of large quantities of Canadian dead meat into the British market would seriously lower prices there.

The whole question is frequently discussed from every point of view by those interested in the extensive cattle trade of the west. Ranchers generally, I fancy, would be glad to see the embargo lifted so that their cattle might finish in England and Scotland, and bring high prices, and one or two with whom I have talked would gladly see a dead meat industry built up, and considered it practicable. One of the largest ranchers in the west pointed out that against the disadvantages of the hide and offal being left in the proper market in the case of dead meat, there was the very important difference of \$14 for dead meat, as against \$30 per head on the hoof for shipment to Liverpool, these being the figures quoted by the C.P.R. when the railway authorities had gone into the matter. The figures included, of course, the refrigerator service. The short season was a more serious difficulty, but this might be largely overcome by obtaining the meat in cold storage on this side, so that the British market should not be deluged with it.

The link individual who had been leaning against a barrel broke in: "Well, now, I reckon that must 'a' been the day I am thinkin' about. What made me know it was rain? Some was searin' a flock o' wild ducks go over. Gents, them ducks had folded their wings and was just naturally paddlin'."

For the space of two minutes not a sound was heard save the purring of the cat asleep on the counter; the silence, with bowed heads, the crowd dispersed.

Not Irish, but delightful, is the story of the automobilist who, in making a cross-country tour, had the misfortune to have his machine break down. He saw a small house not far off and cut across to it. He only man about the place was a Swede, who was much amused by the sight of the strange rig the automobilist wore. "My friend," said the automobilist, "my machine has had a bad break and I would like to know if you have such a thing as a monkey-wrench about here?" The Swede looked at the automobilist with greater curiosity than ever, and then laughed. He had met some strange folks and heard some odd things since he had come to Canada, but this was the worst! "Monkey-wrench?" he asked, sarcastically. "I got sheep ranch and my cousin Ole he got cow ranch, and Meester Ferguson he ban have wan pig ranch, but I tank unywan start monkey ranch in des countrie ban wan fool!"

MAN VS. WOMAN.
"Ever watch a man as he takes a chair? He'll move it every time—even if it's only an inch. He wouldn't sit in it just where it was for the world. At last, the next time and see if he doesn't move it. A woman will seat herself without touching the chair—a woman is more philosophical, anyhow."

A man will always stir his coffee before drinking it. This is very foolish—he should taste it first to see if it needs stirring.

For men open their personal correspondence without looking at the postmarks to see the time of posting. Women, on the other hand, tear open the envelope at once; they are in too much of a hurry to waste any time.

When a man puts on his hat he almost always looks inside it first. What he expects to see remains a mystery, but he looks for it all the same.

He subjects the point of his pen to the same careful scrutiny before commencing to write a letter. A woman starts right off—jabs her pen in the inkpot and straightway begins to scribble as if her life depended on it.

It is the man who reads with his back to the light, holding his book in one hand. Herein lies wisdom. A woman rests her book on the table and leans both elbows thereon. But the foolishness of the man's act lies in the fact that he is seeking comfort and seldom takes this position because it is the most scientific one. Of course, he finds it isn't comfortable—his arm aches after the "first" ten minutes, whereupon he puts his book down and remarks he is going out.

It is the man who lets out secrets—not by telling them, but by ill-timed silence. He does worse—by refusing to gratify the curiosity of his questioners he invariably causes them to jump to conclusions much more damaging than the truth of the matter.

WEDDINGS.
A Quiet Wedding—Two deaf mutes.
A Heavenly Wedding—Two Stars.
A Wooden Wedding—Two Poles.
A Yellow Wedding—Two Chinese.
A Green Wedding—Two harps.
A Military Wedding—Two drummers.

A Spring Wedding—Two acrobats.
A Tin Wedding—The wealthy old guy and the girl of seventeen.

MOTIVES FOR AUTOISTS.
An auto by another name would swell as sweet.
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The link individual who had been leaning against a barrel broke in: "Well, now, I reckon that must 'a' been the day I am thinkin' about. What made me know it was rain? Some was searin' a flock o' wild ducks go over. Gents, them ducks had folded their wings and was just naturally paddlin'."

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Western Items

Regina Leader: The company of local capitalists holding a railway charter from Prince Albert to Hudson's Bay intend to begin the construction of a portion of the line this fall. The local lumber companies have timber limits near the Prince Albert end of the proposed route and the intention is to build a few miles and utilize it for hauling lumber and fish to the city, which has previously been done by teams. Labor is very scarce however and it is very doubtful if much will be accomplished this year.

Western Globe: John Lumsden, a farmer living three miles west of Lacombe, was raking hay on Saturday when his horses ran away, and he was thrown from the machine and seriously injured. He was unconscious for some time after the accident and has not yet been able to give a very clear account of how it happened. Mr. Lumsden was considerably bruised and his suffering from concussion of the brain. Dr. Simpson, who is attending him, reports that he is progressing favorably towards recovery. The team had a wild race and the hay rake was somewhat of a wreck when they were caught.

Calgary Albertan: It is quite possible that the prices which the Imperial Government is offering for chargers and for cows may not seem to be acceptable to the majority of the ranchers of this district. We are not prepared to say that \$15 for a sound horse between 15 hands and 15.2 is more than the average price which a rancher could obtain for the same article from other places. But, while the rancher is perfectly right in holding his goods for the highest market, he should not forget that the Imperial Government represents a constant source of revenue.

THE CALF PATH.

One day through the primeval wood,
A calf walked home as good calves should!

But made a trail all bent askew,
A crooked trail, as all calves do.

Since then two hundred years have fled,
And, I infer, the calf is dead.

But still he left behind his trail,
And thereby hangs my mortal tale.

The trail was taken up next day
By a lone dog that passed that way.

And then a wise bell-wether sheep
Pursued the trail o'er vale and steep.

And drew the flock behind him, too,
As good bell-wethers always do.

And from that day, o'er hill and glade,
Through those old woods a path was made.

And many men wound in and out,
And dodged and turned and bent about.

And uttered words of righteous wrath,
Because 'twas such a crooked path.

And still they followed, do not laugh,
The first migrations of that calf.

This first path became a lane,
That bent and turned and turned again.

This crooked lane became a road,
Where many a poor horse with his load

Toiled on beneath the burning sun,
And traveled some three miles in one.

And thus a century and a half
They trod the first steps of that calf.

The years passed on in swift fleet,
The road became a village street.

And this before men were aware
A city's crowded thoroughfare.

And men two centuries and a half
Trod in the footsteps of that calf.

And o'er this crooked journey went
The traffic of a continent.

—Sam Walter Foss.

PEMBINA NOTES

(Bulletin Correspondence)
Pembina, Aug. 5.—Everybody in this part is busy hunting.

We anticipate having the school running by September 1st, with Mr. Brand as teacher.

We are all pleased to see the Keegan family out on their homestead again. Mr. Jno. Donnelly killed a large cinnamon bear last week, up the river a few miles.

Mr. F. Woodward of Bannockville, was down taking pictures in this part recently.

A number of people went to Bannockville, fishing, but as the Paddle River was high did not catch many fish. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Donnelly and son James, went to Edmonton on Saturday.

Messrs. G. Hardin and E. Forwood were hauling lumber to Bannockville yesterday for their houses.
Mr. G. Sterling returned from town with a load of supplies for his store.

BALL SCORES

(Special to the Bulletin)
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Calumet 6, Lake Linden 5; Houghton 4, Winnipeg 2.

Telegraphic

SUICIDED BECAUSE HE WAS IN DEBT.

Vancouver, Aug. 14.—Worried because of his inability to pay a shortage in his account with the Stanley Park brewery, for which he was a travelling representative, Walter Travis, an Englishman who formerly lived in Vancouver, committed suicide in the Quamichan hotel at Duncan this morning, by hanging himself. Travis had been a guest at the hotel for about a month, while the provincial police have been searching for him. It is thought that he ran out of money and as he had no source of revenue and would probably have been placed under arrest for theft, he apparently decided to end his life, rather than face the disgrace.

Travis, who was about 35 years old, had not been heard of since June, when he left Vancouver for Nanaimo, and after remaining there some days, went to Ladysmith. He failed to notify his employers of his whereabouts, and the provincial police were communicated with by his friends. He was thought to be in Seattle, but was located in Duncan last week. He stated that he had been at Duncan since leaving Ladysmith over a month ago.

SAIL MAKERS BURNED.

(Special to the Bulletin).
Buffalo, Aug. 17.—James Robinson, a sail maker, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed a ship chandlery building. Benjamin Johnson, also a sail maker was fatally burned. The loss is \$50,000.

FIREWORKS FACTORY BLOWN UP.

New York, Aug. 17.—A Rio Janeiro, Brazil, dispatch says the Nania fireworks factory exploded and twenty-one were killed.

NATIVES WORSTED.

Manilla, Aug. 17.—An encounter between a band of natives and a detachment of the 24th infantry under Lieut. Sweeney is reported, in which 74 natives were captured. Several were wounded.

SOLD "BOB" MEAT

(Special to the Bulletin)
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Considerable meat taken from "Bob" calves has been seized by the health department from a butchering establishment at 453 King street. The term "Bob" is applied to calves which are knocked in the head shortly after they are born.

SWITCHMAN KILLED

(Special to the Bulletin)
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Walter Town, aged 36, a switchman employed by the Canadian Northern Railway was instantly killed today by being crushed by a string of cars while switching at the foot of Lombard street.

WINNIPEG'S WATER SUPPLY

(Special to the Bulletin)
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Dr. J. H. Leeming, city bacteriologist, after testing the water of forty-two public and private wells, reports eight impure. Fifteen samples from the mains all proved pure.

BRITAIN HAS FAITH IN HER GUNNERS

New York, Aug. 14.—There is great interest in naval circles in the suggestion of Rear-Admiral Bradford of the United States navy for a gunnery competition between picked teams from British and American battleships.

In the British navy there is a tendency to discredit somewhat the records of good shooting in the United States navy. It is not denied that there are many good marksmen across the Atlantic, but it is pointed out that the American service target is considerably larger than the British, while the Americans do not carry on their shooting on the lines of British battle practice, regardless of weather and other conditions such as would prevail in war.

Running target practice in the American navy is carried out in smooth water, rendering it much easier to score a large percentage of hits.

TORONTO BUILDERS ARE AT PEACE

(Special to the Bulletin)
Toronto, Aug. 16.—The carpenters adopted a report of the executive committee and went to work at 33 cents an hour. The new master carpenters association also agreed to recognize the union. The builders' exchange, which consists of but a small proportion of the employing carpenters, is ignored in the settlement. Any carpenters however, who go to work for them must not accept less than 33 cents per hour.

DISCOURAGES THE IDEA
London, Aug. 17.—The imperial committee on Australian defence deprecates the proposal for the formation of a local fleet on the ground that the existing forts are sufficient to repel any raiding cruises which might escape the British fleet.

POSTMEN ON STRIKE
Bombay, India, Aug. 17.—Five hundred postmen struck today for higher pay, with the result that deliveries are stopped. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the ringleaders.

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